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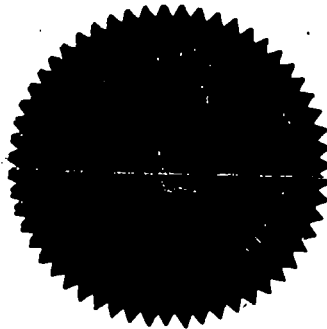
Department of State

ASARCO INCORPORATED

I, the Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey,
DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the records of this office show that the
charter of the above-named corporation was filed in this office
on the 29th day of January A.D. 1975.

I FURTHER CERTIFY, that so far as the records of this
office show, said corporation has never been dissolved by action
of its stockholders, nor has its charter been voided for non-payment
of State taxes by Proclamation and now continues as an existing
corporation within the State of New Jersey.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the registered office is 15 Exchange
Place, Jersey City, New Jersey 07302 and the registered agent is
Corporation Trust Company.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and
affixed my Official Seal at
Trenton, this 21st day of
February A.D. 1975.

F. Joseph Curran
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

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